

*Season Report of the Bangalore District for the month of March 1888.*

*Rain-fall.*—There was no rain during the month under report.

*State of the crops.*—The standing sugar-cane and paddy crops were reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane and paddy were sown and paddy, sugar-cane, ground-nut, Bengal-grass, &c., were harvested.

*Public health.*—Good generally. Small-pox was prevalent in parts of Magadi and Kankarhalli Taluks.

*Mortality.*—There were 352 deaths in the month of February against 585 in the month previous.

*Cattle.*—Ninety-four and eighty-six head of cattle died during the month under report against 1,119 in the previous month; of these, 92 were killed by wild beasts.

*Lands.*—Lands assessed at Rs. 90-1-10 were taken up for cultivation, while those for Rs. 47-7-3 were relinquished.

STED NABRODIN,  
for Deputy Commissioner.

POSTAL NOTICE

The 30th March 1888.

The public are hereby informed that, with effect from 1st April 1888, the Post Office at Devaraj Mahalla will be removed from its present place to Door No. 150 in the same locality.

J. HANSEN,  
Superintendent of Post Offices,  
Bangalore Division.

THE BANK OF MADRAS.

The 20th March 1888.

This Bank is prepared to grant orders payable at any of the District or Taluk Treasuries throughout the Province of Mysore. For particulars apply to Agent, Bank of Madras.

The 14th April 1888.

A Branch of this Bank was opened at Mysore on 12th instant under the charge of Mr. W. J. Evans.

GLENGALE MADDEN,  
Acting Agent.

SOUTHERN MAHARATTA RAILWAY COMPANY, MYSORE SECTION.

Notice

The 6th April 1888.

Tenders will be received by undersigned up to 15th proximo for the supply of wood-fuel for locomotive purposes at the following stations in the quantities noted, for a period of one year, commencing from 1st January 1889:—

Mysore	150	tons per month.
Muddur	100	do
Bidadi	250	do
Hirahalli	200	do
Between Gubbi and Arakere	300	do

2. Supplies to be in accordance with the specification now in force, a copy of which can be had on application at the office of undersigned.

3. The rate may or may not include cartage.

4. Each tender should be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 200 in cash or currency notes.

5. The successful tenderer will be required to furnish security to the amount of Rs. 2,000 and execute a contract bond within the time which will be fixed hereafter. In case he fails to do so, his deposit of Rs. 200 will be forfeited. The deposits of unsuccessful tenderers will be returned.

6. No reason will be given for the rejection of any tender.

7. Tenders to be sealed and expressed "Tenders for the supply of wood-fuel to the Southern Maharatta Railway, (Mysore State Railway)."

A. J. MOLLER,  
Locomotive Supt., Mysore Section.